

Specification Amendments

Please amend the specification as follows:

Page 4 last paragraph:

Accordingly, that section of the outer ring, on which raceways for one or more rows of rolling bodies are formed at least partially, is supported radially completely in the wheel carrier. As a result, the entire wheel bearing is surrounded by the wheel carrier as a rule. The flange is formed axially on the end side of the outer ring and protrudes radially outward at one end of the hole. The flange either bears directly axially against the wheel carrier or is supported axially on the wheel carrier via spacer means. The wheel bearing is secured axially with respect to the carrier in the hole via the flange, as the flange is fastened to the flange wheel carrier with suitable fastening means. Axial movement of the outer ring during driving operation is avoided. The outer ring is seated fixedly in the carrier, as a result of which the creaking noises are avoided. Moreover, the channel at the transition from the flange to the outer ring is relieved from the outset, as the outer ring is supported radially in the wheel carrier under load. The hole in the carrier is to be machined simply with the removal of material. It is no longer necessary to introduce a shoulder for the axial contact and notches for securing rings.

Page 16, first paragraph:

The wheel carrier 7 bears axially against the flange 2c and radially against the section 2b in such a way that the wheel carrier 7 and the channel 2d are spaced apart from one another at least as far as the transitions 2l and 2n. The maximum stresses radially below the recesses 2f are approximately a third higher at the contour 2q which is

described by the radius r than the stresses in a channel $2e$ 2d which is described by the radii r_1 and r_2 .

Page 17-18, List of Designations

1	Wheel bearing module
2	Outer ring
2a	Raceway
2b	Section
2c	Flange
2d	Channel
2e	Side
2f	Recess
2g	Section
2h	Radial shoulder
2k	Annular groove
2l	Transition
2m	Circumferential surface
2n	Transition
2p	Face
2q	Contour
2r	Inner geometry
2s	Outer geometry
3	Rolling body
4	Inner ring
4a	Raceway
5	Hub

5a	Raceway
5b	Flange rim
5c	Through hole
5d	Radial flange
5e	Holes
5f	Recess
6	Articulation bell
6a	Stub
7	Wheel support
7a	Hole
<u>7b</u>	<u>Hole</u>
8	Wheel bearing
9	Cages
10	Seal
11	Rotational axis
12	Nut
13	Tooth profile
14	Fastening element
14a	Head
14b	Stem
15	Hole
16	Hole